

DOVE OF PEACE IS SHY, SO EGGS WILL MARCH IN MUMMERS' PARADE

George Herschaft, "Mayor of Tar Ditch," Gathers Hatfuls From City Hall Roofs for New Year Event

SHOOTERS BUSY ON PLANS

Pigeon eggs, large and small and numerous, will "march" in the New Year's parade with the Charles Klein New Year's Association if George Herschaft, "Mayor of Tar Ditch," and one of the fancy dressers of the club, has anything to do with it.

Herschaft is employed in the Electrical Bureau and today was fixing the wires for the electric light display at the City Hall on the ledges inside the east corridor.

"Yes, the dove of peace must be hovering around this place all right," he pointed to Charles Klein, New Year's Association leader, who was passing him from the roof.

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The grandstand on the south plaza of City Hall will be finished this afternoon. It will be used by Councilmen and their friends on New Year's Day and will seat about 1200 persons.

PLANS FOR FLOATS. These are indeed busy days for the clubs. In addition to working on their own creations, most of the shooters have to pitch in and help on the club floats, some of which will be nearly half a block in length.

JOB FOR LEO HAGGERTY. Stated for \$3000 Place Vacated by Peter Hoban

Leo Haggerty, brother of Cornelius Haggerty, Jr., is slated to be appointed a real estate assessor to succeed Peter Hoban, who has been named by Mayor-elect Smith to be Assistant Director of Supplies.

LITTLE BENA WANTS "BILLIE". He's Her Dog, and She Says Bennis Gabel Has Him

Little Bena Sacks has cried every night when she went to bed for a long, long time, because "Little Billie," her dog, has been taken away from her.

KILLED MAN FOR A DIME. Victim Dies and Two Assailants Are Arraigned

Two men, accused of attacking and causing the death of Charles Bohm, 33 years old, of 146 Deal street, because he refused to give them 10 cents, were arraigned today before Judge Beaton at the City Hall police court.

New Year's Eve Party. You are cordially invited to New Year's Eve Party in the Ball Room at 5 o'clock.

Hotel Stenton. Broad and Spruce Streets. ARTHUR F. HERB, Manager

Make New Year's Joys Complete By Having Comfortable Feet

MANNA. Cause Remover, 25c ea. Manufacturing, 25c. N. E. Cor. 12th & Sanson Sts. (Over Canal) and 1201 Chestnut St.

FORD PILGRIMS HAILED AS "VIKINGS OF OLD" BY STOCKHOLM MAYOR

"Better to Try Something Big and Fail Than Not to Try at All," He Says

ONE MORE LEAVES PARTY

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 29.—There has been another defection from the Ford peace party. Herman Bernstein, an editor, has withdrawn and left for The Hague.

A banquet in honor of the Swedish committee was given last night in the ballroom of the Grand Hotel, and many of the most prominent men and women of Stockholm were present.

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TWINING FOR TRANSIT DEPARTMENT HEAD VIRTUALLY ASSURED

Mayor-elect Expected to Announce Selection of Taylor's Successor Within a Few Days

ENGINEER OF REPUTE

The appointment of William S. Twining as Director of the Department of City Transit to succeed A. Merritt Taylor, is expected to be announced by Mayor-elect Thomas R. Smith within a few days.

BEST FISHING SEASON EVER

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Northeast "Frat" to Banquet

The Delta Phi Fraternity of the Northeast High School will hold its eighth annual banquet at the Hotel Windsor tonight.

Write or call for our new and interesting booklet "Looking Into Your Own Eyes."

A Series of Eye Talks

Our Next Talk Wed., Jan. 5 By Joseph C. Ferguson, Jr.

POSSIBLY few people who have suffered from eye-strain know that they generally indicate eye-strain.

While they are caused by a strain which gains access to the little gland ducts around the eye, their appearance indicates low resistance, which in turn is nearly always the result of eye-strain.

It is in many cases the removal of this strain is the only way to prevent a succession of attacks and—in all cases of eye-strain—the result is the eye-strain.

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QUIT BRITISH CABINET. Above is Walter H. Runciman, president of the Board of Trade, and below is Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer, both of whom are declared to have resigned their posts because their colleagues adopted a modified form of conscription.

WILSON KEPT BUSY ANSWERING GREETINGS

President and His Stenographer Overwhelmed With Messages From Well Wishers

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Dec. 29.—Acknowledgment of the well wishes of his many friends forced the President and his stenographer to put in a long stretch of work today after a 16-hour session at it yesterday.

A message from Secretary of State Lansing was on the President's desk. It was believed to contain information regarding the sinking of the Yonaka Maru, but this could not be learned definitely.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL GIVES CHRISTMAS TABLEAUX

St. Andrews Scholars Will Present Novel Affairs, Product of Own Handiwork

Forty Sunday school scholars of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 36th and Baring streets, tonight and tomorrow night will present a series of tableaux in the Sunday school auditorium that will be models of technical efficiency.

"The Bethlehem Tableaux" they call their set of 12 scenes, and in arrangement they are as fine as can be.

The real feature of the undertaking is the mechanical skill with which it has been constructed. The scholars have stopped at nothing; every contrivance that could possibly help along the effect has been made—not procured, but made—by these youngsters.

The director is Robert Ackroyd, one of the Sunday School members. He has had experience in a real theatre. It was his idea when they were looking for supports for the stage to "rest it on an old altar rail and some prayer stools."

William Jerome, manager of the stage, and Herbert Jerome, musical director, are with Ackroyd as the moving spirits, as is Robert J. Smith, who has charge of the drama. All of the leaders give credit for the real push behind the show to Warren B. Haight, assistant superintendent of the Sunday school and the business manager.

Those who will take part in the tableaux tonight and tomorrow night are Anna Bell, Anna Ellinger, Lillian Miller, Sara Pringle, Dorothy Crabtree, Edna Abbott, Russell Laverly, James Bell, Louis Dohy, Raymond Green, Edward G. Hall, Ellen Newell, Elizabeth Leonard, William Henderson, William A. Royle, Joseph Blackwell, George Sterling, William Nommaker, L. H. Crabtree, Frank Cashel, H. Harold Payne, John W. Price, Leon Clark, Edwin Buckley, Florence Burdick, Ruth Hall, Morris Bea, Mabel Lynch, Edith Buckley, Lillian Bell, Virginia Clark, Anna Fernan, Sara Glass, Blanche Peck, Louis Trout, Ruth Taylor, Gladys Burnside, Randolph Wolcott, Edward Knowles, John J. Halston and Stanley McCracken.

MORE PAY FOR 100,000 COTTON MILL WORKERS

Wage Increase for Big Army of New Hampshire Employees Announced

NASHUA, N. H., Dec. 29.—Announcement of a general wage increase that will affect more than 100,000 employees of the cotton mills along the Merrimack valley is expected within a week.

A readjustment of wages in favor of mill employes will shortly go into effect. It was not announced how large the increase would be.

"MOVIES" AS A CURE FOR LIQUOR HABIT

With Other Amusements, Doctor Believes Film Drama Effective Foe of Rum

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The "movies" as a cure for the liquor habit with the legitimate drama, sports and other amusements thrown in for variety was advocated before the Pan-American scientific congress today by Dr. Luis Lopez de Mesa, of Colombia.

Police, pedagogic, medical, financial and commercial restrictions have accomplished little or nothing. Absolute prohibition worldwide would succeed in the end, said Doctor De Mesa, but its inauguration would cause great disorder and confusion.

Hold Up Minister's Son

The Germantown police are searching for a negro boy who held up and robbed Milton Stringer, 12 years old, 827 East Chelton avenue, at Chelton Avenue and Masgrave street, last night.

Stringer is the son of the Rev. Henry W. Stringer, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of Germantown. According to the police, the negro, who was about 15 years old, approached Stringer and ordered him to turn over the change in his pocket and a stopwatch valued at \$15 with a threat to kill him if he did not comply.

Marching Orders are Urgent!

You'll have to fall in line quickly for Perry's Semi-Annual Reduction Sale of Winter Suits and Winter Overcoats

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No reinforcements in the order of the day! Every Suit, every Overcoat captured by a lucky man, leaves an empty place behind it!

If we were to mark up the prices on them instead of marking them down, we'd be doing just what all the world is doing today on merchandise; but we made these Suits and Overcoats to sell this season, and this season we'll sell them! The reductions are made on our season's retail prices which already have a wholesale rating in the clothing market!

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\$20.00 and \$22.50 Suits and Overcoats NOW \$15.00 \$16.5 \$18.0

\$25 Suits and Overcoats NOW \$19 and \$20

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\$40 to \$60 Overcoats the finest to be got at any price, now at Savings of \$8, \$10 & \$15 on each Overcoat!

Trouser Prices Reduced! \$2.50, \$3, \$4, \$5, \$6, \$7 Trousers for \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$4 and \$5

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We have the only large stock in Philadelphia of the so-called "foreign-made" grand opera records, which are made abroad by foreign artists whose talent in many respects is as wonderful (although not as famous) as that of the Victor red-seal artists. This stock of foreign records is only one of the many features exclusive to

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In Purchasing Victrolas our service offers outfits from \$15 up. Settlement may be made at the cash prices, either in cash, or charge account, or our rental-payment plan, by which all rent applies to purchase, with no interest charge for this privilege.

Here are our outfits and the terms of our rental-payment plan.

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